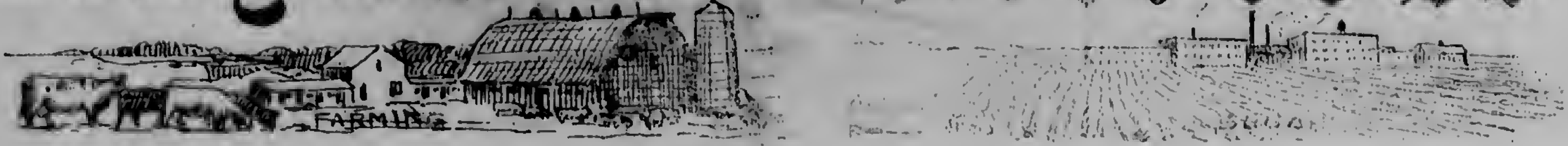


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Pot Hole Coulee Dam Would Provide 14,000 Acre Feet More Water

Some 14,000 acre-feet of additional irrigation water would be available for use in the Lethbridge Coulee and the Magrath-Raymond Irrigation District if a dam and reservoir were constructed in east Pot Hole coulee at Magrath, Ben Russell, of Edmonton, director of water resources in the province, told the Herald Friday. The project would be part of the St. Mary and Milk River development program. Mr. Russell was in the city on a routine business trip.

Construction of the Pot Hole coulee dam was discussed earlier this week at Calgary by provincial government representatives and officials of the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act.

The project would supply much needed water to farmers in the south for the money in the post-war Dominion C.P.R. system. In those districts many farmers have lost part of their crops due to the seasonal water shortages, Mr. Russell stated.

Total cost of the Pot Hole coulee project, including the reservoir and the canals, would be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$360,000, he said. Premier Manning recently announced that the Alberta government is prepared to advance \$300,000 for immediate construction of the project, provided the province received credit to the money in the post-war Dominion-Provincial Irrigation projects.

As yet the Dominion government has not indicated its stand on the matter.

If constructed, the dam would become part of the proposed St. Mary-Milk River irrigation projects planned for construction after the war. The larger scheme would supply sufficient irrigation water for approximately 465,000 acres in the area centering around Lethbridge. Of that total, about 345,000 acres would be new land not previously reached by irrigation, while the other 120,000 acres would be land that is already under irrigation, Mr. Russell said.

—Lethbridge Herald

Five, believed to have started from a short circuit in the wiring, burned the Assiniboia Hotel in the city on the ground between midnight and 3 a.m. Sunday morning. There were no casualties and the hotel was closed quickly and orderly when the alarm was given. The loss is estimated at between \$150,000 and \$200,000. The loss was about half a year's business. No statement has been made as to whether or not it will be replaced.

Paternal Crin



Marco Muzzo, CBC announcer, holds his first son, Patrick Muzzo, baby-showered by Vancouver staff for

LIONS MEETING

The Lions held their regular meeting in the 2nd Ward Hall on Monday December 4th, with Pres. Mutt Ralph in the chair.

"Oh Canada" was sung, prayer being offered by Don Golden Stow.

The Lions roar was given Bud Sandford for donating the venison which was served to the members.

Community singing was enjoyed under the leadership of Don Tomer and McBride.

The Carnival was reported a success but the final figures were not available yet.

Don Don Wilde, Chairman of the Sight Conservation Committee reported that Mr. Palmer of Ashdown Marshall of Lethbridge had tested about two-thirds of the school children's eyes and would be returning soon to test the balance, and make arrangements for the club to furnish glasses to those who needed them. It was decided to extend this service to the High School and Wellington School with their consent.

The members asked Don Wilde to see the Local School Board about improving the lighting system in the school.

The meeting closed by singing "God Save the King."

The Executive were called together immediately after the regular meeting to organize a new membership campaign.

A.A.A. Officers Re-elected

In one of the best attended and most interesting annual meetings in a number of years, J. G. Smith, J. V. Fleming and Murray Hobb were re-elected as President, Vice-President and Secretary of the A.A.A. Association at the meeting last week.

The discussion centered around a year-round program of sports and studies will be made, and reports brought in about hockey, basketball, football and other winter sports, and also baseball, softball, tennis and associated summer sports. Plans will be made on these items in the coming program.

Elmer C. B. Alfred is leaving this week-end to labor as a missionary for the L.D.S. Church starting his labors in the city of Calgary.

Kenneth Bryan Bennett Crash Victim

Raymond and district was saddened and after helping his father one last Friday afternoon as he was on the farm he collapsed as a result of the accidental death that morning as he finished his Grade XII. He had at Debert, N. S. of Bryan, fourth always obtained high marks in his education of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bennett, ambitions in the R.C.A.F. and in a 22 year old navigator who had just completed his training and was on marching officer said "he was highly his last flight before being given a month's leave to visit at home. He had his class both in ground work and in flying.

Puneral services will be held this afternoon at 2 p.m. in the 2nd Ward Church and many local boys of the church and friends of deceased will be flying with the son of Air Vice Marshal L. S. Broadner who was pilot of the mosquito bomber when it crashed and instantly killed both co-pilots.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the Bennett family in their bereavement.

Wilma Jensen Wins Chesterfield

Raymond's Annual Carnival won't be in the early hours of Saturday morning after two big nights of fun and frolic. The grand prize a beautiful Chesterfield, was won by Wilma, eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jensen of Raymond. Jos. Linski of the Edison Milling Co. staff drew the lucky ticket for the girl.

The usual round of games were running all night, bingo gathered the usual crowd around the table, and the dance floor was filled to capacity every dance. A large box of candy was drawn for and this was won by Frank Hall.

Prizes this year were a problem.

but the committee did a fine job and had a nice array of hand for the winners. The crowds were very satisfactory both nights and uncheckered as the prizes were given to the winners of this year than ever. However, because of the added cost for prizes and other higher costs, net returns from the two nights will not likely be as high as some other years. However, Raymond people were given a fine entertainment and fun and congratulatory applause are due the organizers for the high class of entertainment provided. Another successful Carnival goes into the records.

What We Have Done

This was caught Canadian surprise and for that kind of an enterprise. That morning when the Nazi planes poured death on Polish cities and Panzer divisions roared across the Polish border, we had an army of 4,500 men. Now we have upwards of 480,000, of whom over 465,000 are men and 13,000 women.

We began with an air force of 4,000. Today we have an air force of 190,000 men with over 11,000 in the Women's Division.

From 15 ships of war the Canadian navy has transformed into third place in the Allied Nations' naval armaments, with over 250 combat ships and 450 others. The navy per cent has grown from 1,700 to over 85,000, of whom over 80,000 are men, and 5,000 women.

The total intake has been about 920,000 men from which casualties and men discharged for medical or other reasons, must be deducted. We now have, in all branches of the service, over 740,000 men. About 40,000 young women have volunteered for the auxiliary services.

The war has taken and is still taking its toll of young Canadian manpower. Up to July 31, the dead reached 20,820, the missing, 10,676 and the wounded 19,542. The merchant navy casualties are upwards of 1,200 which brings the figure to about 53,000.

There has been bitter fighting and heavy losses since July 31.

From the outbreak of the war, to the end of 1943 this country produced 31,000 armored vehicles and tanks and 555,000 mechanical transport vehicles. It built 10,517 aircraft, it turned out 83,150 gun barrels, cartridges and mountings. Close to a million machine guns and small arms were manufactured. Over 59 million rounds of heavy ammunition and 3,202 million rounds of small arms ammunition were made. Away over a million tons of dynamite and explosives were manufactured.

Our shipyards constructed 232 cargo vessels, with a tonnage of 2,247,000 together with 356 naval vessels and patrol boats and 482 other vessels of special purpose craft. We manufactured \$264,000,000 worth of structural and communication equipment. To all this must be added the tremendous output of this present year, 1944.

The people of Canada are paying their own way in this war. Up to the end of this fiscal year, the cost has been 15 billion dollars. About half cost is being met by the sale of war bonds and war savings stamps.

In addition there are the War Stamps and War Savings Certificates. The seventh Victory Loan had an objective of \$1,200,000,000.

Canadian forces, in Italy and on the German frontier, are at the grips with the Nazi despotism. We must back them up.

—Grady Growers Guide

Council Appoints Library Board

NEWS NOTES

Dr. and Mrs. Madell were Calgary visitors over the week-end.

W. E. Jensen of the Treasury Branch was a Lethbridge visitor on Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Kuck is still in the Lethbridge Hospital where she is under the doctor's care.

Misses June May and Katherine Paxman and Harold Oler were guests of Miss Hazel McBride for supper on Sunday evening.

The Halloween stock sale for Milk for Britain over Southwestern Alberta netted \$6,784 at the recent gathering of funds.

Bert Hall and Gabe Nelson left on Sunday for Canal Flats, B.C. where they have a hauling contract with the B.C. Government. Bill Robert also took his truck over there.

Here is a \$64 question: Why should eggs hit the floor in Southern Alberta when other provinces especially the east are now the eggling? How can the government expect people to continue raising chickens and produce the ground between midnight and 3 a.m. pay for feed costs?

Magazines Wanted

Since March last there has been shipped, various an average of 100,000 magazines a month from the various magazine depots across the country, military magazines in Calgary included this week. The Alberta quota is 44,000 a month and has always been maintained or bettered by the magazine depot of Calgary and Edmonton who have acted faithfully and voluntarily at the task.

The majority of these magazines are less than one month old when shipped.

The magazine go by Red Cross to the Assistant Director of Auxiliary Services, London, England, who is responsible for their distribution overseas.

More CURRENT magazines would

The Local Library Board met at the town hall Monday evening. A new member, Bruce Galbraith, was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the death of its chairman, William Redd, who had been chairman of the board since its organization in 1931.

In 1931 the town council appointed William Redd to organize a group of people to start a library. The town was canvassed for books with several hundred being donated. The library now contains 6,000 volumes. Some are contributed by the various local study groups and others by the province and the town. There are 3,860 fiction novels, 1,381 non-fiction, 628 junior books, 153 reference books, 37 subscribed magazines and 200 magazines made into bound volumes. There are \$65 per two readers with a circulation average of 68 people a day with two books a person and with 34 persons per day using the library for reference. These latter are mainly school students who use the library extensively. Ten adult study groups use the library for material.

The following are the present board members: T. O. King, Mrs. W. E. Galbraith, Mrs. Meldrum and Mr. King have been on the board since its organization. Formerly on the board were Messrs. Thomas Allen, G. W. Leach, M. R. Wolff and Don McRae.

The librarians have included Messrs. M. W. Boyson, Helva Booth Ross, Mills R. Dyson and M. R. Wolff, who is the present librarian. Many fine books were sold to Wm. Redd at the meeting. Mr. Redd had missed only 2 board meetings in the last eight years, and had two absences were due to illness.

be welcomed, and there can be left at any post office, at the Bay or at the city of a B.A. St. Mor.

In addition to the forwarding the Librarian, Club working in conjunction with the Magazine, Redd, ship tons of magazines to the Navy League, and Merchant Marine. These ship-ments are heavily made up of less current magazines.

Individuals may take magazines to any Post Office where they are forwarded, without charge, to the nearest Magazine Depot and see that it is not permitted to send magazines except by paying a subscription and the magazine is then forwarded by the current magazines.

More CURRENT magazines would

For The Forces



Following Canadian news and entertainment to the Dominion's troops is one of the current responsibilities of CBC's rambling reporter, GERRY WILMOT, who is attached to the London office of the CBC Overseas Unit. The programs under Mr. Wilmot's supervision form

part of the series of broadcasts presented by the BBC as an Allied Expeditionary Forces program. Since going to Britain in 1940, Wilmot has been associated with some of the most colorful programs produced for Service personnel including the variety "Johnny Canuck's Revue" and

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THE HOME TOWN
PAPER AND YOU

We have often said in these columns that the interest of this paper depends very largely on its readers and the support we get from them. All of you can help by giving us the details of your party, your visits, or your visit somewhere, even if it is only over night. Not important you say, well probably not, but far better for you to give us the straight of it than for someone else to tell us and we may get it wrong, or else held in the Y.M.C.A. with representation.

German Gothic Line Defences



It was announced on September 8th Army had broken through the 2nd, that as a result of the swift and entire defence line and were advancing to the River Po. Picture shows: A British tank 26th the Gothic line had been approaching into action near Moretino on a proached and breached to a depth of the south bank of the River Conca several miles. One month later the during the battle for the Gothic line.

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ives from many points in southern Alberta present.

A motion sponsored by Del Woods of Hillspring was also passed asking the A.A.B.A. to inaugurate some system of qualifying referees on a province-wide basis in order that officiating throughout the province be uniform.

It was decided that referees be paid \$2.50 for each game handled in the high school 'A' division and \$2 for each game in the 'B' division. All clubs in the southern Alberta district will be required to use referees who are holders of 1944-45 referee cards.

The following teams will operate in the southern Alberta district:

Senior men—Raymond Jacks, High School "A"—(first section) Magrath, Raymond, Cardston; (second section) Leth. Collegiate Institute Stirling, Bartwell.

High school "B"—(first section) Magrath, Raymond, New Dayton, Wrentham; (second division) Cardston, Hillspring, Jefferson, Glenwood.

High school girls—Magrath, Cardston, Wrentham, New Dayton.

It is expected that a senior men's league will be formed between Edmonton, Calgary and Raymond.

Opening dates of the series have been set at Jan. 5 for the "B" division and Jan. 12 for "A" division. Schedules of games will be published in the Herald at a later date.—Leth bridge Herald.

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Strangler Lewis is the subject of our personality parade — Fifty-four years of age, Lewis is in the best of condition and he still has the stamina to do plenty of ring work against some of the best boys in the

THE GAME

Let's play it out — this little game called Life.

Where we are listed for so brief a spell;

Not just to wait, amid the tumult rife,

Or where acclaim and gay applauses swell;

Nor just to conquer where some one must lose.

Or reach the goal whatever be the cost;

For there are other, better ways to choose

Though in the end the battle may be lost.

Let's play it out as if it were a sport

Wherein the game is better than the goal.

And never mind the detailed 'score's' report

Of errors made, if each with dauntless soul

But stick it out until the day is done,

Nor wasting fairness for success or fame,

So when the battle has been lost or won,

The world at least can say: "He played the game."

—Grantland Rice

EVERYONE TO THE RECORDER

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stands about six feet one inch high,

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one collar. In case any women list-

ing in are unaware of how large a size

21 collar is, I'll tell them that if their

husband wears anything larger than a

size 21 and a belt, he's a fair sized

chunk of man. But Good, on CBC,

November 8.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

POOL CONVENTION

When the Alberta Wheat Pool delegates convened in Calgary on Tuesday, 67 out of a total of 70 were in attendance. Ben S. Phemer, chairman of the Board of directors welcomed the delegates and the business of the convention was proceeded with.

The following chairman were elected: John Fowle, Bindloss; Homer Montgomery, Nanton; J. M. Wheatley, Chancellor; and Paul Redd, Raymond.

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Wayne Gough spent Sunday evening in agrath returning home Monday morning.

Ross Ward, Treasury Branch Inspector was at the local branch this week arriving Monday.

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A laughing couple, dodging showers of rice... fireside... garden... chubby babies...

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But we know that these things don't "just happen." They have to be worked for, lived for. Protected, too, because of ever-present dangers which may spoil them.

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Young men and women can safeguard their future happiness together by making sure before marriage that V.D. will not blight their plans. A medical examination, including a blood test for syphilis, is a protection no couple can afford to pass up.

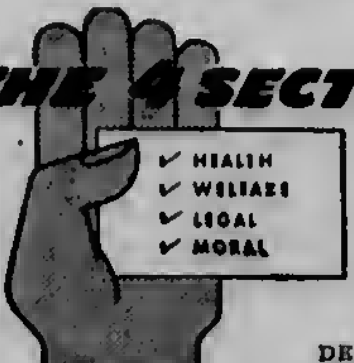
The expectant mother, too, may know for sure that her baby will be all she dreamed of. Syphilis in the expectant mother rarely shows outward signs, and it is no respecter of persons. An early check-up by her doctor, including a blood test, is a most essential, yet simple, first step in protecting her baby's health.

Nor must the breadwinner neglect his part. The security of the home depends upon his ability to work regularly and efficiently. Undisputed syphilis, striking in middle life, may make the head of the home unable to provide for his family. It is wise to KNOW FOR SURE in time. Industrial medical examinations should include a routine confidential blood test.

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Pictures taken from an R. A. F. First Allied Airborne Army carried out its first great operation on Sept. 17th.

Pictures shows: Gliders filling the fields of Holland during the great airborne operation.

NEWS NOTES

Elder Kenneth Knight left Monday morning for Saskatoon, Sask., where he will commence his missionary labors for the L.D.S. Church.

Miss Sara King and Iris Jones were Calgary visitors over the weekend.

Philip T. Rogers, owner and director of Canadian Sugar Estates Ltd., is a visitor at the local plant and the one at Poudre Butte this week.

The local library will be closed for a few days while repairs are being made to the walls.

Due to a shortage in the supply of milk on the local Co-op was forced to buy milk when prices were more than 100 per cent higher than the milk taken directly to Lethbridge. The Co-op has carried on for more than two years past and has rendered valuable service, but the labor situation and the feed problem especially this year has made it impossible to carry on with the milk.

According to the Lethbridge Herald Southern Alberta had 21 inches of snowfall during November for a little over 2 inches of moisture.

T. O. King celebrated his 75th birthday Wednesday and was guest of honor at a family party. We extend our congratulations to our friend on this anniversary. T. O. has been a planter and a builder ever since he came to Canada about 1890 and has served on Councils, School Boards, Board of Trade and been a member of the local library board since it started.

Dr. Frank Hall has sold his home to Owen King, Jr. and the Dr. expects to be in Vancouver on the first of the year. Mrs. Hall will leave as soon as their Vancouver home is finished.

EISENHOWER TELLS HUNS HE WILL RULE WITH HUMANITY

LONDON, Dec. 4 — Instructions to the German people broadcast on behalf of Gen. Eisenhower, Allied commander and military governor of the occupied area of Germany by the Luxembourg radio, said today he would exercise his powers in his capacity as military governor "in accordance with the laws of justice, humanity and civilization."

"Military government in occupied Germany will be carried out with rigor and determination, but nevertheless with justice," Gen. Eisenhower added. "The aim will be the destruction of the Nazi system, the destruction of the aggressive German military SM."

"The military government will be based on written legal principles. Allied military government will protect the German population from corruption, greed, malicious intrigue and all terrorist measures of the present national socialist leaders."

The instructions said that existing laws, which do not contradict the laws of the military government, will remain in force and that "the laws of the military government will be carried out precisely."

—Lethbridge Herald

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Alfred were honored at a house party by their neighbors Tuesday night before they leave for their labors in the Western Canadian Mission, commencing in Calgary.

Conjoint meetings were held in both Raymond wards and a very interesting program was put on in each ward under the direction of the Sunday Schools.



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ANNUAL MEETINGS

The Annual Meetings of the Rate Payers and electors of the St. Mary's River School Division No. 2 will be held as follows:

Subdivision One at Glenwood School House Dec. 7th

Subdivision Two at Aetna School House Dec. 8th

Subdivision Three at Jefferson Schoolhouse Dec. 13th

Subdivision Four at Spring Coulee Schoolhouse Dec. 12th

Subdivision Five at Provo School House Dec. 11th

The Superintendent, Secretary, Treasurer's and Auditor's Reports will be read at these meetings and such other business dealt with as is presented.

Nominations for Subdivisional Trustee will be received in Subdivisions Two and Three.

Shl Hesketh, Sec. Treas.

St. Mary's River S. Div. No. 2
Cardston, Alta.

NEWS NOTES

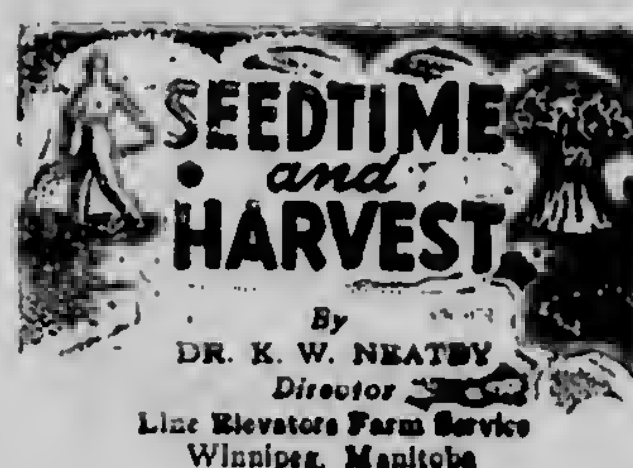
Azer R. Briggs of Magrath was a Raymond visitor on Monday of this week.

Mrs. S. I. May spent the week-end with relatives in Cardston returning home Sunday morning.

Bonnie Card and Elmo Hatfield returned to their oil hauling in Calgary Monday morning after spending the week-end here.

Lee Powelson of the Royal Canadian Navy says he is greatly enjoying his leave and has fourteen days of this month's leave left.

Elton S. Paxman enlisted in the Canadian Active Army in Calgary last week and has commenced his initial training in Calgary.



Righting A Wrong

"The price is too high." This is the reason given by many elevator agents, for failure to interest farmers in Registered or Certified seed. If this statement is true, it must be based on one, or both, of two suppositions. They are:

1. That mixed or 'scrub' seed will give as good, or almost as good, a return per acre as will pedigreed seed.
2. That the seed growers are making too large profits.

Both suppositions are wrong. Generally speaking, yield, grade and quality, especially of wheat, are inferior in mixed stocks. Most mixtures, found on prairie farms, contain early and late types, rust resistant and rust susceptible types, poor quality types, etc. Remember that it is not necessary to buy expensive seed every year. With proper care, Registered or Certified seed will continue to produce a reasonably pure commercial crop for several years. Therefore, the cost of pure seed must not all be charged to the year in which the purchase was made.

The question of seed growers' profits can be dismissed with a few words. It takes a mighty good farmer to be a successful seed grower. In most cases, these "good farmers" could make more money by producing commercial grain. Then, why don't they? Simply because they get fond of their pure stocks just as does the livestock breeder. They take a very real pride in their own high standards and do not measure success solely in terms of money income. The price is not too high.

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